

KEY INDICATORS	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Am. Indian	Other
Stops	3861	3152	94	578	22	6	9
Searches	403	263	10	129	0	1	0
Arrests	493	329	11	150	1	2	0
Statewide population %	N/A	84.26	10.63	2.22	1.38	0.46	1.06
Local population %	N/A	84.50	1.74	8.10	2.56	1.10	2.00
Disparity index	N/A	0.97	1.40	1.85	0.22	0.14	0.12
Search rate	10.44	8.34	10.64	22.32	0.00	16.67	0.00
Contraband hit rate	15.88	21.67	10.00	4.65	#Error	0.00	#Error
Arrest rate	12.77	10.44	11.70	25.95	4.55	33.33	0.00

Notes: Population figures are 2005 Census estimates for persons 16 years of age and older who designated a single race. Hispanics may be of any race. Other includes persons of mixed race and unknown race.

Disparity index = (proportion of stops / proportion of population). A value of 1 represents no disparity; values greater than 1 indicate over-representation, values less than 1 indicate under-representation.

Search rate = (searches / stops) X 100.

Contraband hit rate = (searches with contraband found / total searches) X 100.

Arrest rate = (arrests / stops) X 100.

#Error indicates zero denominator.

VEHICLE STOP STATS		Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Am. Indian	Other
Reason for stop	Moving	2121	1740	54	304	14	4	5
	Equipment	787	669	16	94	4	1	3
	License	952	744	23	181	2	1	1
	Investigative	195	148	5	40	2	0	0
Stop outcome	Citation	1311	933	31	342	2	1	2
	Warning	2721	2330	64	294	21	4	8
	No action	60	48	3	8	0	1	0
Location of stop	Interstate hwy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	US hwy	12	10	0	2	0	0	0
	State hwy	295	243	7	41	3	0	1
	County road	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	City street	3526	2877	87	530	18	6	8
	Other	28	22	0	5	1	0	0
Driver gender	Male	2554	1988	78	456	21	4	7
	Female	1307	1164	16	122	1	2	2
Driver age	17 and under	474	406	6	60	1	1	0
	18-29	1731	1380	42	294	11	2	2
	30-39	693	554	20	114	2	0	3
	40 and over	963	812	26	110	8	3	4

SEARCH STATS		Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Am. Indian	Other
Probable cause/ authority to search	Consent	73	60	2	11	0	0	0
	Inventory	3	1	0	2	0	0	0
	Drug/alcohol odor	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
	Incident to arrest	324	200	7	116	0	1	0
	Plain view contraband	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Reasonable suspicion-weapon	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
	Drug-dog alert	2	1	1	0	0	0	0
	Other	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
What searched	Driver	15	11	0	4	0	0	0
	Car/property	77	65	2	10	0	0	0
	Driver & Property	311	187	8	115	0	1	0
Search duration	0-15 minutes	402	262	10	129	0	1	0
	16-30 minutes	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
	31+ minutes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Contra-band found	Drugs/alcohol	59	52	1	6	0	0	0
	Currency	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Weapon	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
	Stolen property	4	4	0	0	0	0	0
	Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arrest charge	Outstanding warrant	90	76	3	11	0	0	0
	Drug violation	29	27	1	1	0	0	0
	Resist arrest	3	2	0	1	0	0	0
	Offense against person	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
	Traffic Violation	255	165	5	83	1	1	0
	DWI/BAC	146	92	3	50	0	1	0
	Property offense	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
	Other	79	34	2	43	0	0	0

Agency response

Carthage continues to have one of the largest percentages of undocumented Hispanic workers in the State. Immigration authorities in Springfield would support this statement. Carthage has at least four major employers who hire large numbers of Hispanic workers. While the census shows only 8.1% of the local population to be Hispanic, I firmly believe the true percentage to be approximately 25%. I believe that percentage speaks to the number of car stops. As to the number of searches in relation to car stops, a review of the statistics will show that the vast majority of searches are incident to arrest, a search that is not driven by officer discretion.